

Application for Deerfield Education Foundation Scholarship

Each year the Deerfield District 109 Educational Foundation plans to grant two scholarships of \$1,000 each to graduating eighth graders. One student or group from Shepard and one student or group from Caruso will be awarded a scholarship.

The purpose of the Award is to recognize students who have provided exemplary community service during their Middle School years. The Award can be for a single project in which the student (or group) participated or for a history of community service. School sponsored, required religious, or scout activities/projects will not be the primary basis for the Award, but they can be included as part of the overall history of community service.

The Award will be presented at the conclusion of eighth grade. The monetary scholarship will be available upon graduation from High School. The Award is intended for college, but it may also be used earlier for a high school educational experience or service project upon request to the Foundation. If there are no worthy candidates in any given year, the Foundation will not award the scholarship that year.

Applications may be submitted by the students themselves, or students may be nominated by others, including teachers and community members. Please complete the application on the following page. Additional information may be requested by the Foundation review committee. The application deadline is May 1st of each year. Please submit the completed application to Bobbi Taormina, 517 Deerfield Road, Deerfield, Illinois 60015.

Deerfield District 109
Education Foundation
517 Deerfield Road
Deerfield, Illinois 60015
Phone 847/945-1844 Fax 847/945-1853

Attention: Bobbi Taormina

Name of applicant(s) _____ School _____

Address _____ Phone # _____

Submitted by _____ Phone # _____

Relationship to applicant(s) _____

List two additional non-relative references (pertaining to the information in this application):

1. Name _____ Phone # _____

2. Name _____ Phone # _____

Please attach essay responses to following questions.

1. Describe in detail the applicant(s) community service. If there is a single, major project, describe it first and then describe other activities which are germane to community service.
2. Why should the applicant(s) receive the Deerfield Educational Scholarship?
3. If there is more than one applicant participating in the community service project, explain each participant's contribution.